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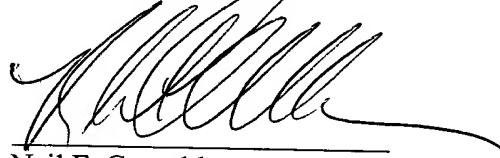
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Sir:

Applicants submit herewith formal Figure 3, which includes the changes approved by the Examiner in the April 17, 2003 office action. Applicants note that formal Figures 1, 2, and 4-7 have already been submitted in the instant application, so formal copies of figures 1-7 have now been submitted to the Patent Office in the instant application.

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 in the above-captioned application.

- \_\_\_ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.  
 \_\_\_ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.  
☒ A Request for Extension of Time.  
 \_\_\_ No Additional Fee.  
☒ Letter to the Draftsman (including 1 sheet of Drawings, Fig. 3).

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